SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 271

By Barnes

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Brittney Lynn Clark, 2009 Co-Valedictorian of Houston County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Brittney Lynn Clark is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at Houston County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, she has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Brittney has earned an exemplary grade point average while participating in a number of scholastic and civic organizations, including the Beta Club and Houston County Youth Leadership; and

WHEREAS, her athletic prowess was displayed while playing on the softball team; and WHEREAS, Ms. Clark has dedicated her time and energies to her school and community by working on the prom committee and participating in her church youth group; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Brittney, the daughter of Alice Clark and the late David Clark, is a tremendous source of pride for her family, community, and school; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Clark's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Houston County High School Co-Valedictorian, Brittney Lynn Clark, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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